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APPLICANT: Law et al.

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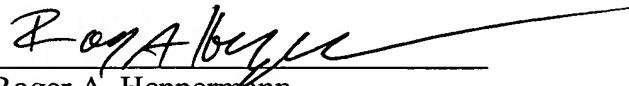
FOR: INTEGRATED ELECTRONIC  
SIGNATURES FOR APPROVAL OF  
PROCESS CONTROL AND SAFETY  
SYSTEM SOFTWARE OBJECTS

EXAMINER: Not yet assigned

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AMENDMENT A

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Applicants request entry of the following amendment to the specification.

**Amendment to specification** begins on page 2.